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Title: MARKING DEVICE

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

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Enclosures:

- Assignment cover sheet and an assignment, 2 pages, and a separate \$40 fee.
- New disclosure information, including:
  - Information disclosure statement, 1 page.
  - PTO-1449, 1 page.
  - References, 1 item.
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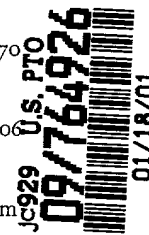
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- A certified copy of the priority application will be filed at a later date.
- Postcard.

Under 35 USC 119, this application claims the benefit of a foreign priority application filed in United Kingdom, serial number 0100495.1, filed January 9, 2001.

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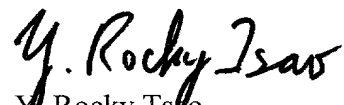
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